

WHOLE NUMBER 268.

A. E. BIDWELL & SON, Confectionery
Bakery, Grand Rapids, Mich. C. B. Albee a
for Grand Haven and vicinity.

Statement of votes given at the General Election held in the county of Ottawa and State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six:

The whole number of votes given for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States was fourteen thousand five hundred and seventy-four (14,574), of which

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for Harmon Chamberlain,

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for Chauncey H. Millen,

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for Fernando C. Beaman,

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for William H. Withey,

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for Oliver Johnson,

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for Thomas J. Drake,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for Michael Shoemaker,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for Jonathan P. King,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for Robert Crouse,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for David A. Noble,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for John C. Blanchard,

Nine hundred and ninety-eight were for Dewitt C. Walker,

Thirty-nine were for Rodney C. Paine,

Thirty-nine were for Peter R. Adams,

Thirty-nine were for Henry W. Wells,

Thirty-nine were for John V. Lyon,

Thirty-nine were for George W. Perkins,

Thirty-nine were for

Witness at the office of County Clerk of the County of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six:

The whole number of votes given for Representative of the Congressional District of Ottawa, in the State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six:

Thirteen hundred and ninety-two were for David A. Noble,

Ten hundred and thirty-nine were for Littlejohn

We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the votes given at the General Election held in the county of Ottawa and State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

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herby certify that the foregoing
of votes given for Electors of Pro
Vice President, at the General
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Michigan, on the fourth day of No
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ty six, is correct.

Our hands in attestation there
of the County Clerk of the County
Ottawa, at Grand Haven, this 11
November, A. D. 1856.

J. SMITH, Chairman of the Board
of Canvassers.

J. BARRE, Deputy Clerk and Secretary
of the Board of Co. Canvassers.

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in the State of Michigan, at the
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was two thousand one hundred and forty-five, of which

Twelve hundred and fifty-seven were for George Willard, and

Eight hundred and eighty-eight were for Daniel Blackman.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing statement of votes given for the State Officers, at the General Election, holden in the county of Ottawa and State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, is correct.

Witness our hands in attestation thereof, at the office of the County Clerk of the county of Ottawa, at Grand Haven, this 11th day of November, A. D. 1856.

L. M. S. SMITH, Chairman of the Board of Co. Canvassers.

E. W. BARNES, Deputy Clerk and Secretary of the Board of Co. Canvassers.

Statement of votes for Senator from the District composed of the counties of Ottawa, Newnaway, Oceana, Lake, Mason, Grand Traverse, Wexford, Missaukee, Kalkaska, Omena, Lelanaw, Antrim and Manistee, being the Twenty-Third Senatorial District of the State of Michigan, at the General Election, holden in the county of Ottawa, and State of Michigan, on the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six:

The whole number of votes given for State Senator was two thousand four hundred and nineteen, of which Fourteen hundred and sixty-two were for Thomas W. Ferry, and

Nine hundred and fifty-five were for Isaac V. Harris, and

yourself, and you can conquer with kindness, where you can conquer in no other way."

AN OLD ONE.—The Newburyport *Herald* says:

"Mr. Solomon P. Felker, in cutting a stick of white-oak timber the other day, opened upon a tree toad that had 'come to us from former generations,' as Webster said to his fish. Over him had grown sixty-seven grains or rings of the oak, indicating that that had been his home for sixty-seven years at least, where he had existed without air, food or water. At first he paid no attention to being turned out in the world again and remained perfectly torpid. But, after lying in the sun a few moments, he marched off 'hopping mad,' and just as fresh and vigorous as a new one."

A BEAUTIFUL SIGNIFICATION.—"Alabama" signifies in the Indian language "Here we will rest." A story is told of a tribe of Indians who fled from a relentless foe in the trackless forest of the South-west. Weary and travel-worn, they reached a noble river, which flowed through a beautiful country.—The chief of the band stuck his tent-pole into the ground and exclaimed: "Alabama! Alabama!" "Here we will rest! Here we will rest!"

LOCOMOTIVES.—It is stated that at the commencement of the present year, there were in the United States about 22,000 miles of railroad, employing about 5,000 locomotives. It is estimated that these locomotives consume between four and five million cords of wood annually, the product of at least 100,000 acres of woodland.